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## Mayor's Corner

Summer vacation is over, the kids are back in school and you may be considering what you'd really like to do now! How about volunteering at the City of Tigard? We have opportunities coming up that may interest you. The Planning Commission is looking for members and volunteers are sought for Tigard's projects in this year's National Make-A-Difference Day on October 27. More details about these opportunities are included in this Cityscape issue.

Volunteers recently made a difference by assisting in:

- The teen reading program. More than 350 young people registered this year, which was a 49% increase from last year.
- Daily library assistance. Monthly library circulation activity has increased steadily: 47,660 - July '99; 50,344 - July '00; 59,189 - July '01.
- Stop Oregon Vandalism & Litter event. Fire hydrants were painted and about 400 trees were planted in Englewood Park and at a water quality facility near Cook Park.

To volunteer, contact Susan Koepping, Volunteer Coordinator, at 503-639-4171, Ext. 460 or susank@ci.tigard.or.us. Thank you volunteers and have a safe Halloween season!

Jim Griffith, Mayor

## Volunteers participate in National Make-A-Difference Day October 27, 2001

Tigard will once again participate in *National Make-A-Difference DAY* on Saturday, October 27, 2001. All projects start at 9 a.m. and finish at noon. Join your neighbors, friends, family members and fellow employees to *Make-A-Difference* in your community.

#### COOK PARK

Plant trees and build a privacy fence.

#### **■ TIGARD LIBRARY**

It's hard to keep up with all those books and materials that come

and go in the library. Extra hands are needed for a variety of tasks including relabeling shelves, and "reading" shelves to be sure every book is where it should be.

# COMMUNITY PARTNERS FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Plant spring bulbs.

For more information or to sign up for a specific project, contact Susan Koepping, Volunteer Coordinator, at *susank@ci.tigard.or.us* or 503-639-4171, ext. 460.

## **City of Tigard Planning Commission openings**

The City Council is accepting applications from citizens interested in serving on the Planning Commission. Three existing terms expire on December 31, 2001.

The Planning Commission consists of nine members appointed by the City Council for four-year terms. The Commission usually meets on the first and third Mondays of each month.

Commission responsibilities include:

- \* Assisting the City Council to develop, implement, maintain and update the City Comprehensive Plan.
- \* Formulating the City's Capital Improvements Program.
- \* Reviewing and taking action on development projects and Development Code provisions.

Closing date for applications is October 26. If you are interested in serving on the Planning Commission or have questions, please contact Susan Koepping, Volunteer Coordinator, at <code>susank@ci.tigard.or.us</code> or 503-639-4171, ext. 460. Application may be made by completing a Citizen Interest Application. Copies are available at City Hall, Tigard Library and on the website, <code>www.ci.tigard.or.us</code>, "Volunteer Opportunities" page.

# **October CIT Meeting Notice**



CIT - Citizen Involvement Team Grassroots Neighborhood-Based

Where: Town Hall at City Hall, 13125 SW Hall Boulevard When: Thursday, October 4, 2001, 6:30 – 8:45 p.m.

The CIT meeting is cablecast live on the first Thursday on Channel 22, 78 or 28 at 7 p.m. Replays are shown the following Friday at 7 p.m., Saturday at noon and Monday at 10 a.m. on Channel 21 or 30 depending on your cable access.

6:30 p.m. An opportunity to meet one-on-one with staff to ask questions or discuss specific issues.

Representatives will be available from the following departments:

Administration, Community Development, Engineering, Library, Police and Public Works. (This portion is not aired on cable.)

7:00 p.m. General Session — Aired on Cable Channel 22, 78 or 28.

7:20 p.m. Flouride - Not in the Water We Drink

Public Works staff will explain why flouride is not in our drinking water.

7:25 p.m. City Sidewalks

Are there plans to add sidewalks where there are none? How are priorities set? Engineering staff will talk about how sidewalk projects are funded and built.

7:35 p.m. Photo Radar

The City has put photo radar on hold - for now. Officer Dave Friesendahl will explain the decision. Also, information will be presented regarding driver responsibility when involved in a motor vehicle accident.

7:40 p.m. Public Property Insurance

Are parks, open spaces and other public open spaces insured? What happens if there's a flood? Risk Manager, Loreen Mills, will discuss how the City insures property.

7:50 p.m. Break

7:55 p.m. Solid Waste Rates Will Change

The City Council will consider changes to the solid waste rate structure at its October 23 meeting. The Solid Waste Rate Work Group, which includes citizen representatives, will recommend that most residential rates increase to reflect the cost of the service.

8:15 p.m. Bull Mountain Proposed Annexation Study

City staff held a focus group meeting in late July to receive community input prior to preparing a study on the annexation of the Bull Mountain area. Community Development staff will provide an update on the status of the study and future opportunities to become involved.

8:25 p.m. Meeting Follow-up and Evaluation

CIT Members' concerns or questions on other issues. Set the November agenda.

8:45 p.m. Adjourn

Bring a friend or neighbor!

If you are unable to attend and would like to have your ideas included or have suggestions, please contact Liz Newton at liz@ci.tigard.or.us or 503-639-4171, ext. 308.



13125 SW Hall Blvd.

#### **Tigard Library**

## **Library Events Calendar**

News from the

October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	10-10:30 a.m.	Toddler Time (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	10-10:30 a.m.	Craft Time-Puett Rm
October 2	7-8 p.m.	"Addressing Frustration in Your Life" (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31	1-1:30 p.m.	Craft Time-Puett Rm
October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31	5-6:30 p.m.	Spanish/English Basic Internet Class (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 3, 10, 17, 24	7-7:30 p.m.	Family Story Time-Puett Rm
October 3	7-8 p.m.	Teen Idea Group-Red Rock Creek Rm
October 4, 11, 18, 25	10-10:30 a.m.	Preschool Story Time-Puett Rm
October 4, 11, 18, 25	2-2:30 p.m.	Toddler Time (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 4	7-9 p.m.	"Your Changing Family: Crisis or Opportunity" (Reg req'd/limit 20) -Puett Rm
October 5, 12, 19, 26	1:30-3 p.m.	"Taking Charge of Parenting" (Pts. 1-4 of 6/ Reg. req'd/limit 20) -Town Hall
October 6, 13, 20, 27	11 a.m noon	Basic Computer Class (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 9	7-8 p.m.	"Fun@Work? Works!" (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 9	7-9 p.m.	Book Club Discussion hosted by Larry Colton -Water Building
October 10	7:30-8:30 p.m.	Financial Planning for College (Reg. req'd) -Puett Rm
October 13	1:30-4 p.m.	"When I'm in Charge" (Reg. req'd) - Town Hall
October 13-20	9 a.m1 p.m.	Babysitter's training course (Reg req'd) - Town Hall
October 14-20		Teen Read Week
October 16	7-8 p.m.	"Handling Criticism Effectively" (Reg. Req'd) -Puett Rm
October 16, 30	4-5 p.m.	Club Newbery (Reg. Req'd/grades 5 and up) -Puett Rm
October 19	7-9 p.m.	Teen Read Week Celebration-Puett Rm
October 20	1:30-4:30 p.m.	SAT Practice Exam (Pt.1 of 2/Reg. Req'd) -Town Hall
October 23	2-4 p.m.	"Passion without Poison: Practicing Healthy Loving in Your Family" (Reg. req'd/limit 20)-Puett Rm
October 23	7-8 p.m.	"Communication Between Men and Women in the Workplace" (Reg. req'd)-Puett Rm
October 26	7-9 p.m.	Free Movie Night: "Unbreakable" (PG-13) -Town Hall
October 27	1:30-2:30 p.m.	SAT Teachback Session (Pt 2 of 2/Reg. Req'd) -Puett Rm
October 30	7-8 p.m.	"Surviving in our Fast-Paced World" (Reg. Req'd) -Puett Rm
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October 31	7-8 p.m.	Bone Chilling Tales with Will Hornyak (Ages 10 and up)- Town Hall
Mon - Thurs	7-8 p.m. 4-6 p.m.	

Some library programs require registration. To sign up, call 503-684-6537, ext. 276

### Register for Turning Pages... Falling Leaves!

The 7th Annual Adult Reading Program, Turning Pages...Falling Leaves, runs through Nov. 4. Read up to 2,000 pages to qualify for weekly prizes. Read 1,500 pages and qualify to win the Grand Prize, a night out to enjoy dinner and tickets to an attraction of your choice! Just for registering, you will receive an invitation to the Falling Leaves Gala event in November featuring author presentations and live music. You must register in person, so stop by the library today.

### Larry Colton to host Book Club

Read his book *Counting Coup:A True Story of Basketball and Honor on the Little Big Horn* and then meet Larry, Tuesday, Oct. 9, 7 to 9 p.m. in the **Tigard Water Building Auditorium**. The Book Club discussion is funded by Live! @ Your Library, an initiative of the American Library Association with major support from the National Endowment for the Arts, Wallace-Reader's Digest Funds, and the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation.

#### Welcome back to books!

Fall Craft Time, Family Story Time and Preschool Story Time start the first week of October. Come in to the library and pick up a schedule!

# Bone-Chilling Tales for a Halloween Night!

Wednesday, Oct. 31, 7 to 8 p.m. Town Hall

Storyteller Will Hornyak will transport us with classic tales of the other world, urban legends and "jump" tales. You won't want to walk home alone!

Stories are suited for ages 10 to adult. This program was funded by the Regional Arts and Culture Council Grant.

## **Parenting Classes**

# Your Changing Family: Crisis or Opportunity?

Thursday, Oct. 4, 7 to 9 p.m. Puett Rm Families sometimes face major change, such as moving, divorce or remarriage or losing a loved one. Prepare for change. Learn how you can reduce stress and facilitate growth.

# **Taking Charge: Caring Discipline That Works**

Fridays, Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, and Nov. 2 and 9, 1:30 to 3 p.m. in Town Hall

This six-week series provides a step-by-step process for managing misbehavior in children of all ages. Learn

step-by-step process for managing misbehavior in children of all ages. Learn to respect your child while maintaining your authority. Childcare and materials are provided and registration is required.

This program is sponsored by the Oregon State Library's Ready to Read Grant

# Passion without Poison: Practicing Healthy Love in Your Family

Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2 to 4 p.m. Puett Rm Sometimes love, given with the best of intentions, is harmful to our children. Learn to improve the way you express love in your family.

These programs are made possible by the Family and Community Development Faculty of the Oregon State University Extension Service of Washington County. Registration is required.

Please call 503-684-6537, ext. 276 to register.



# **Entertainment Books** are here!

Friends of the Library are selling 2002 Entertainment Books. Purchase yours at the Tigard Library for \$40. Proceeds from the sales support library programs, furnishings and materials. Support your library and celebrate with coupons for dining and lodging. Quantities are limited.

### **Events for Teens**

School work piling up? Don't worry—the Tigard Library's Homework Center is back offering free tutoring to middle and high school students. Open each week Monday Thursday from 4 to 6 p.m. beginning October 1. Bus transportation is available from Tigard middle schools.

#### Wednesday, October 3, 7 to 8 p.m. Red Rock Creek Room

**Teen Idea Group:** Want to have a say in what the Tigard Library offers for teens? Let your voice be heard! Snacks and laughter provided.

#### Saturday, October 13 and Saturday, October 20, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Town Hall

**Babysitter's Training Course:** Presented by the American Red Cross for participants ages 11 and up. \$30 per participant. Call Vanessa Embly at the Red Cross to register: 503-284-0011, ext. 156.

#### Saturday, October 13, 1:30 to 4 p.m. Town Hall

When I'm in Charge: An American Red Cross class for children 8 to11 years of age, covering safe "home alone" practices. \$15 per participant. Call Vanessa Embly at the Red Cross to register: 503-284-0011, ext. 156

#### October 14-20

**Teen Read Week!** The national theme this year is "Make Reading a Hobbit"—a silly pun, but a great excuse to have some fun, including:

Teen Fantasy Art Contest: Attention artists in grades 6-12! Create "Fantasy Art"—whatever that means to you! Here's your chance to have your artwork displayed in the library and win prizes! Bring your artwork to the library anytime before October 18. Prizes will be awarded at the Teen Read Week Gala Celebration (see below).

# Friday, October 19, 7 to 9 p.m. Puett Room

Teen Read Week Gala Celebration: Come one, come all! Vote for your favorite works in the Teen Fantasy Art Contest, learn about the greatest titles in fantasy fiction for teens, enjoy refreshments and live music.

Saturday, October 20, 1:30 to 4:30 p.m., Town Hall and Saturday, October 27, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Puett Room

#### S.A.T. Preparation Workshop:

Co-sponsored with Kaplan. The first session will be a practice test (bring a calculator), with a teachback session on the second Saturday. Registration is required and participants must attend both sessions. Call 503-684-6537, ext. 276 to register.

#### Friday, October 26, 7 to 9 p.m. Town Hall

Free Movie Night: *Unbreakable* (PG-13). Bruce Willis stars in this suspense thriller as a man who learns something extraordinary about himself after surviving a accident. Snack and drink provided.

## Personal and professional growth in the changing work environment

Tigard Public Library and Portland Community College are pleased to offer a free lecture series on achieving personal and professional satisfaction in your work environment. Experts in the field of communication will present lectures on various topics Tuesdays in October, 7 to 8 p.m. in the Puett Room. Registration is required for each lecture—call 503-684-6537, ext. 276.

Addressing Frustration in Your Life—Oct. 2

Fun@Work? Works!—Oct. 9

Handling Criticism Effectively—Oct. 16

Communication Between Men and Women in the Workplace—Oct. 23

Surviving in Our Fast-Paced World—Oct. 30

## City of Tigard now offers online utility bill payment

The City of Tigard is now offering its water, sewer and storm water customers the ability to pay their bills using a credit card (Visa or Mastercard) over the Web! Customers can review their account information and pay their bills online thanks to a new web-secured UBPayments service offered by the City. The service, which is free to use, lets customers view their account history, billing information and water consumption history 24 hours a day using the Internet. Customers can also have the option of being notified by e-mail when they get a new bill. Craig Prosser, City of Tigard Finance Director, said "This new service allows our customers to access their account day or night and reduce the number of checks they write." Prosser also noted that "customers have been requesting web payment for some time. We're glad to now be able to offer this convenience for those customers who want to use it."

To access your utility account online, go to the City of Tigard's website at <code>www.ci.tigard.or.us</code> and click on the "Online Water/Sewer Utility Bill Payments" link. You must use a web browser that supports "JavaScript," such as Netscape 4 or newer, or Internet Explorer 4 or newer. Using a recent utility bill as a reference, customers will be asked to complete some initial information online and set up a secure account by choosing their own login name and password.

If there are any questions, problems or suggestions regarding this new service, customers can contact City of Tigard Utility Billing at 503-639-4171.

## **Employee of the Month!**

Congratulations to Roger Dawes, Employee of the Month for September 2001! Roger is a Senior Accountant in the Finance Department and began working with the City in November 1999.

Since he started at the City, Roger has consistently shown excellent customer service working with City employees and outside vendors. He has been the key Finance Department staff member responsible for coordinating the preparation of the monthly financial statements for City departments, so that everyone receives budgetary and financial data in a

timely manner. Also, Roger was instrumental in coordinating

grant accounting and reporting throughout the City. His efforts have improved the quality of information that the Finance Department provides and the good customer relations reputation that it enjoys.

Roger, we appreciate your hard work and congratulate you this month!

# Tiny Tykes fall session starting soon

Tiny Tykes Indoor Play Park is a non-profit, volunteer-run cooperative. Fall session is September 27 through January 25. We accept registration throughout the session with pro-rated fees.

**Hours:** Monday – Friday 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

**Ages:** 0-4 (Caretaker must remain at park with child)

**Cost:** 3 levels of membership are

3 levels of membership are currently available

- \$50/session with 10 volunteer commitments

- \$75/session with 5 volunteer commitments - \$125/session with 0

volunteer commitments **Location:** Tigard United Methodist

Church Gymnasium 9845 SW Walnut Place (behind Jiffy Lube)

**Phone:** 503-524-8794

# **Update on proposed new library: site recommended**

The New Tigard Library Construction Committee recommended a site for the proposed new library to the City Council at its August 28 meeting. After reviewing the recommendation from the Committee, the City Council unanimously approved the proposed site for the new library and gave authorization to pursue an option to purchase.

The proposed site is 14.7 acres located on the east side of Hall Boulevard near O'Mara. More than five acres on this site are developable. The advantages of this location include close proximity to City Hall, ability to accommodate the recommended two-story library, easy access to public transportation, ample space for the necessary parking for the new library and future expansion and access to nature and greenspace.

In August the City Council gave approval to contract with BML Architects to construct an architectural model of the proposed library. This model will demonstrate the relationship between functionality and architectural design of the new library and will be completed in mid-October.

If you would like to schedule a presentation for your neighborhood or organization about the proposed new library or for more information, please contact Library Director, Margaret Barnes, at margaret@ci.tigard.or.us or 503-639-4171, ext. 263.



## **Tree placement is important**

In the Pacific Northwest fall and winter are the ideal seasons to plant trees. The substantial rainfall and relatively mild temperatures are favorable conditions for trees to thrive the following spring.

Planting the appropriate tree in the right place is important to minimize future conflicts between the trees' requirements for survival and the presence of hardscape (house, sidewalk, road, utilities, etc.). When deciding upon the species of trees to plant in your yard carefully consider the following:

- Determine the size of the growing space, taking into consideration the height and canopy the tree will reach at maturity. For example, do not plant a tree that can reach 70 feet at maturity underneath utility wires. Do not plant a tree that can attain a canopy spread of 40 feet next to your house.
- Determine the growing conditions of the site. Is the location in full sun? What is the soil type? Is the location a very dry or moist site? For example, if you want to plant a tree in or near standing water choose a tree that has adapted to living in wet soil such as a willow tree.

A copy of the approved street tree list is on the City's website at www.ci.tigard.or.us. The list contains descriptions of numerous trees including their size at maturity, required growing space and growth rates.

When planting a tree:

- The diameter of the planting hole should be two to three times larger than the root ball or container.
- If the soil is very poor and/or compacted the hole should be up to five times larger.
- The depth of the hole should be the same depth as the root ball or container.

- The bottom of the hole should be firm to prevent the tree from sinking.
- Gently place the root ball into the hole. Make sure that the tree trunk is vertical.
- Remove as much of the burlap and wire cage as possible without breaking the root ball. At least cut off the upper third of the wire cage and burlap. If possible, snip the remaining parts of the basket where two pieces of wire cross so the basket can expand if necessary as the tree's roots grow.
- Backfill the hole with native soil.
   If the native soil quality is poor, then mix a small amount of soil amendment (peat moss, shredded leaves or high quality mulch) with the native soil.
- When placing the soil back into the hole, pack it down lightly to remove any air pockets.
- Avoid fertilizing the soil at the time of planting. Fertilize after one or two years.
- Add 3-4" of high quality mulch (wood chips, leaf litter, shredded bark or peat moss) around the base of the tree out to the edge of the planting hole. Do not bunch soil around the base of the tree's trunk.
- Stake the tree only if necessary. If the tree cannot stand upright then staking, in conjunction with flexible tie material, is necessary. Staking may also be required for very large trees that have been transplanted with small root balls. To avoid damage, stakes and ties that are supporting the tree must be removed after one or two growing seasons. The ties may girdle and kill the tree if not removed.

For more information, contact Matt Stine, Urban Forester, at *mstine@ci.tigard.or.us* or 503-639-4171, ext. 423.

## Where's your RV?

The Tigard Municipal Code (TMC) allows RV's, boats, trailers and similar items to be parked in the street for a total of ten days per year. They cannot block free passage or vision of the street, corners or any traffic control devices.

The TMC does not restrict you from parking your own RV's, boats, etc., on your property as long as it is not causing an obstruction. For example, an RV should not hang over a sidewalk (or onto any public right of way). In addition, the RV should not block visual clearance out or onto your or your neighbor's driveway or the street.

Your RV, boat, etc., must have current vehicle license tags and cannot be occupied (lived in).

If you are thinking about building an RV storage area, please contact the Building Depart-



ment, (503) 639-4171, for assistance and to learn the requirements for such buildings in your specific area.

RV's, boats or trailers left in the public right of way are subject to code enforcement activity including corrective notification and possibly a fine. More importantly, your neighbors will appreciate your efforts in keeping the street clear and safe.

For more information, please contact Christine Darnel, Code Compliance Specialist, at *christine@ci.tigard.or.us* or 503-639-4171, ext. 314.

# Art quilts on display in the library

The quilting exhibit is sponsored by the Tigard Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) and features work by the president of the Northwest Quilters, Joanne Adams Duncan. See a variety of quilt patterns and some wall hangings of Navajo design in the lobby of the library this month.

## Make every drop count

Although the rainy season is about to begin, saving water is still important! As the fall approaches and you begin to prepare your lawn and garden for the winter, remember these autumn water conservation tips:

- Planting in the fall gives plants an opportunity to become established during the rainy season instead of in the dry summer.
- ▼ Your lawn and garden will require less water in fall than in summer so be sure to alter your watering schedule.
- ▼ Add a rain sensor to your irrigation system (shuts off irrigation when it rains).
- ▼ Check your soil with a soil probe or long screwdriver to measure the depth of moisture and to make sure your watering is covering the plants' root zone and not exceeding it.
- ▼ Do not water your lawn or garden when it is raining.
- ▼ Check irrigation systems and timing devices regularly to be sure they operate properly.

For more information contact Sara Danz, Water Conservation Coordinator, at *sara@ci.tigard.or.us* or 503-639-4171 ext. 346.



## Library shelvers needed for the fall rush

We could use your help for a couple of hours a week to put the books, videos and DVDs back in the right places. Shelving is a great way to find new library materials to take home too! To find out more about shelving or other library volunteer jobs, contact Trish Stormont at 503-684-6537, ext. 269.

# **Cross connection & backflow prevention program continues**

Scenario...

You are washing your car and your garden hose is submerged into a bucket of soapy water. A few blocks away, a water line has just broken and the water pressure is lowered to the point that a vacuum or partial vacuum is created. What do you think happens to the hose in your bucket? Answer: Water is siphoned into your plumbing and to the water distribution system if you do not have a backflow protection assembly installed!

A similar vacuum can siphon non-potable water into the water supply system through open outlets such as submerged sprinkler heads.

Another cause of backflow is back-pressure, which occurs when a water customer's piping system (such as pumps, elevated piping, thermal expansion, etc.) creates a higher pressure than the public water supply system.

Here are some common questions about backflow and backflow protection:

#### 1. What are the most common types of cross connection (backflow) found?

The garden hose is the most common cross connection. When used for cleaning drains or applying landscape chemicals, connected to pressure washers, or just left filling a swimming pool, dog's bowl, etc., garden hoses can create a cross connection.

#### 2. Why do I have to install a backflow prevention assembly?

To protect water customers, the Environmental Protection Agency Safe Drinking Water Act, State of Oregon Laws and Uniform Plumbing Code all require that potential cross connections be equipped by the customer with backflow protection. The City of Tigard has adopted codes regulating cross connections.

# 3. Why do I have to install a backflow assembly on my lawn sprinkler system?

A lawn sprinkler system is considered a non-potable water use. The water in these systems can become contaminated by lawn chemicals, animal waste or the water may be stagnant.

#### 4. Does my backflow assembly need to be tested?

The Oregon State Health Division requires that all backflow assemblies be tested once each year by a certified tester. These backflow assembly testers are private contractors and can be found in the phone directory. The City of Tigard maintains a list of testers that is available upon request.

For more information on how you can help in backflow protection, contact Hung Nguyen at *hung@ci.tigard.or.us* or 503-639-4171, ext. 367.

## **Return of the rentals!**

Please watch for the revival of the Rental Book collection! In October, the Tigard Library will launch its Rental Book program. These books are purchased for popular titles that have long waiting lists and are provided for readers who may wish to rent rather than wait. The return of the Rental Book program is due to popular demand and the library staff is pleased to offer this service.

# Tigard City Council Action Recap!

Here is a review of the City Council Meeting highlights for the past month:

- Delayed the City of Tigard Birthday Celebration to September 25 because of tragic events in our nation on September 11.
- Held a joint meeting with the Budget Committee for an update on financial issues; a hearing on a proposed supplemental budget and to hear
- status of the budget for Fiscal Year 2000-01.
- ➤ Delayed the discussion of sidewalk maintenance on major collectors to November 20, 2001.
- Discussed strategies to address affordable housing.
- Held a public hearing to finalize the Rose Vista Sewer Reimbursement District.
- ➤ Held a public hearing on revisions to the noise ordinance.

#### **Future Council Agenda Items:**

- Conduct a public hearing on a supplemental budget affecting the parks system development fund and the underground utility fund.
- ★ Conduct a public hearing concerning a loan for Cook Park improvements.
- ★ Update Code provisions on emergency water use.
- ★ Attend a special meeting with the City of Tualatin Council on October 15, 2001, at the City of Tualatin.
- ★ Meet with the Senior Center Board.
- ★ Hear an update on the Washington County Vision West program.
- ★ Consider a resolution concerning the Sorg Rhododendron Garden.
- ★ Unveil the model for the proposed new Library.
- ★ Conduct a public hearing on solid waste rate adjustment.
- ★ Hear an update on the Tigard Beyond Tomorrow Visioning Program.

For additional information or if you have any questions about any of the items listed above, please contact City Recorder Cathy Wheatley at 503-639-4171, ext. 309. A copy of Council packet information can be found at the library for the last six months.

Audio and video tape recordings of most meetings are also available at the library.

# Community Calendar

All meetings are held at Tigard City Hall -- 13125 SW Hall Boulevard, unless noted. Meeting dates are tentative. To confirm a date or agenda topics, please call City Hall at 503-639-4171.

The Tigard City Council meetings are cable cast live at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month on Channel 22. Replays air at 7 p.m. and 1 a.m. on Thursday and 10 a.m., 7 p.m. and 1 a.m. on Friday (following the second and fourth Tuesdays) on Channel 21.

#### City Council:

October 9\*, 16, 23\* November 13\*, 20, 27\* 6:30 p.m. unless otherwise posted

\* Cable cast Meeting

#### Library Board:

Puett Room - TPL 2nd Thurs., 7 p.m.

#### **Planning Commission:**

1st & 3rd Mon., unless a holiday, 7:30 p.m.

# Intergovernmental Water Board:

2nd Wed., 5:30 p.m. Tigard Water Building 8777 SW Burnham



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